

REMARKS

By this amendment, it is proposed to cancel non-elected claims 11-20, whereby claims 2-10, 21, and 22 would remain pending.

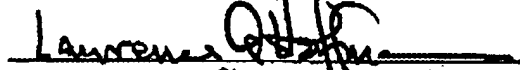
It is also proposed to correct a minor editing error in claim 21 which was overlooked when the claim was originally prepared. No new issues are raised by this amendment, and entry of the amendment is respectfully requested to place the application in better condition for appeal.

A Notice of Appeal is being filed herewith.

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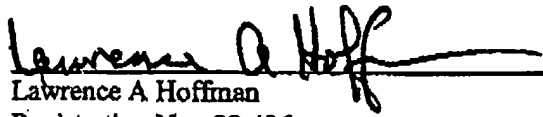
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